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PROTEINS AND METHODS OF USE THEREFOR*

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CORRECTED AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-responsive Amendment, mailed September 29, 2008, Applicants submit herewith the following corrected Remarks, which include a response to the Double Patenting rejection. Applicants note that the original reply was submitted further to the Notice of Appeal, which was filed on November 19, 2007, and in lieu of an Appeal Brief. The paper was originally filed with a Request for Continued Examination in response to the Interview Summary mailed June 16, 2008 ("the Interview Summary"), and the Final Office Action mailed May 17, 2007, together with a Request for a three-month Extension of Time, a Notice of Appeal, and the requisite fee based on large entity status.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this document

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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